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# Better Glads

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Smoky Varieties  
a Specialty

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## A Song The Grass Sings

The Violet is much too shy,  
The Rose too little so ;  
I think I'll ask the Buttercup,  
If I may be her beau.

When winds go by, I'll nod to her  
And she will nod to me,  
And I will kiss her on the cheek,  
As gently as may be.

And when the mower cuts us down,  
Together we will pass,  
I smiling at the Buttercup,  
She smiling at the Grass.

—Chas. G. Blanden.

# Forward

AS we are approaching a new year we all begin to plan for our 1928 gardens. Of course we want to make some new additions to our "Glad family." Although the American Gladiolus Society adopted the pronunciation of Glad-i-o-lus, we call them just plain "Glads" and like this just as well if not better. Considering the varied colorings, the lasting qualities and ease of culture, they are the most satisfactory of all summer flowers.

We had many new varieties in our gardens this year, most of them listed herewith, except the foreign importations; which we will offer later. Many of the new German varieties introduced by Mr. Wilhelm Pfitzer were very good. Aida, a dark blue with a small throat blotch of red, Krimhilde, a lovely



C. B. Sawyer and niece in 1927 Garden

soft pink of large size; Albatros, a pure white and Troubador a deep violet, although not as good color as Aida, were much admired by visitors this year. Pfitzer Triumph the largest and most beautiful red in existence, Heavenly Blue, Mrs. Gertrude Pfitzer, Paul Pfitzer, Mrs. Konynenburg and the other outstanding foreign varieties we hope to offer in the near future.

While there is a particular charm in growing these varieties from other countries, we must not overlook our own productions in this country, which are equally as good. Many new ones introduced this year are very extra-

ordinary, especially those offered by Mr. C. L. Goodrich, several which are listed. Lavender Bride, a new smoky variety of unusual beauty is sure to become popular. Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, Beatrice Patterson, a fine pure white, Zona Jap and Harmonia were the outstanding new primes of the year.

## Guarantee

All bulbs are guaranteed to be true to name and healthy, but we all make mistakes and if you find any not satisfactory, we will gladly replace them free of charge. All orders are sent prepaid anywhere in the U. S. We appreciate cash, but will accept orders for 25% down, balance before delivery or C. O. D. 5% discount allowed on cash orders from members of A. G. S. or M. G. S. If you are not a member of these societies you will find membership blanks inclosed. For all new memberships sent to us for either society we will include extra bulbs in your order. Bulletins are issued by both the A. G. S. and M. G. S. that contain many helpful articles; and all interested in the Gladiolus should have them.

## Smoky Varieties

As we specialize in these shades we are listing them separately. They are mostly in shades of red, pink and lavender, overlaid or edged with shades of blue or gray. The varieties listed are among the best of them and we are sure you will enjoy because they are odd and very different.

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1 1/2" up	1 1/4"-1 1/2"	1"-1 1/4"	3/4"-1"	1/2"-3/4"	1/4"-1/2"	Per	
<b>BENGAL TIGER.</b> (Pratt.) Medium red, mottled with deeper red. Large flower, late. Much admired in our garden.							100	.25
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.....	.....	.....		
<b>CARMELITA.</b> (D). Odd smoky pink. Nothing just like it. A beauty.								
Per 1	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>CARMELITE.</b> (Vil.) Light rose, mottled slate gray. Very odd and unusual.								
Per 1	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>CHAMELEON.</b> (Bill). An odd variety that changes color as you turn in the sunlight. Good sized blooms.							10	.20
Per 1	.....	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....		
<b>DESDAMONA.</b> (Vil.) Smoky pink, large throat blotch. Admired by all.							10	.25
Per 1	.35	.30	.25	.....	.....	.....		
<b>DR. COTHRAN.</b> (D). Salmon pink, edged with bluish gray. Very beautiful. One of the best.								
Per 1	.25	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>EIGHTH WONDER.</b> (K). Smoky rose, deeper at tips. Large flower, many open.							1	.20
Per 1	2.50	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>EMILE AUBRUN.</b> (Vil.) Bronzy-red, overlaid with slate. Large red blotch. Many blooms open, measuring 6 in. Very fine.							1	.15
Per 1	1.75	1.50	1.25	.....	.....	.....		
<b>ENIGMA.</b> (K). A striped flower of red, faintly penciled with blue and white. Very odd. Always attracts attention.								
Per 1	.....	.20	.15	.....	.....	.....		
<b>JOHN T. PIRIE.</b> (K). A brownish-red. Small yellow throat blotch. Very unusual.							10	.15
Per 1	.20	.15	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Per 10	1.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>KING SMOKE.</b> (K). Medium pink, shading to lavender, blue at edge. Very good flower.							10	.15
Per 1	.20	.15	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Per 10	1.75	1.40	.....	.....	.....	.....		

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
<b>LAVENDER BRIDE.</b> (Bride). A smoky lavender that is extraordinary. The whole flower covered with a silvery sheen that sparkles in the sunlight. The best new smoky variety introduced last year.								
Per 1	<del>.25</del>	.50					10	<del>50.25</del>
<b>LEWIS DINGMAN.</b> (G). Deep mahogany-red, light red throat. Very odd and sure to please.								
Per 1	.25							
<b>LOELLA.</b> (K). Smoky old-rose, mottled blue. Very good.								
Per 1	.15	.10						
Per 10	1.35	.90						
<b>LONDON SMOKE.</b> (D). A variety difficult to describe. Old rose shaded deeper at throat. The whole flower overlaid with slate-gray. In a class by itself.								
Per 1	.25	.20	.15					
Per 10	2.00	1.65	1.35				100	.25
<b>MRS. COTHRAN.</b> (D). Somewhat lighter than London Smoke. Clear ashes of roses. Very odd and beautiful.								
Per 1	.25	.20	.15					
<b>NOKOMIS.</b> (Bill). Orange-red flaked deeper. A good flower.								
Per 1	.20	.15						
<b>OPAL LONG.</b> (G). A real beauty. Mottled rose blending to blue at tips. A good sized flower with plenty open.								
Per 1	.50	.40						
<b>ORIENTAL GEM.</b> (G). Another odd one of Mr. Goodrich's. Rosy-red spotted with violet. Light throat. Very good.								
Per 1	.25							
<b>ORIENTAL JEWEL.</b> (G). Somewhat similar to the above but a deeper shade.								
Per 1	.25							
<b>PRES. C. C. MOORE.</b> (D). Rose-red striped and spotted dark red. Strong spike, many open.								
Per 10	1.25	.85	.75				100	.20
<b>ROSE ASH.</b> (D). An old standard, still very good.								
Per 10	.75	.60	.45	.35				
Per 100	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00			1000	.85
<b>ROMANCE.</b> (K). Orange-red bordered dark blue. Very pretty.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.35				
Per 100	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.25			1000	.85
<b>SACAJAWEA.</b> (Pratt). A variety very hard to describe. Sort of bronze-red. Very odd. One of the best new smokies.								
Per 1	3.50						10	3.50
<b>SARABAND.</b> (S). Old rose, overlaid blue. Very unusual. One of the best.								
Per 1	1.25							
<b>SMOKE.</b> (D). Old rose, streaked and spotted with bluish-gray.								
Per 10	1.35	.95	.80				100	.15
<b>SMOKY.</b> (Hutt.) A fine new shade of red, overlaid with bronze.								
Per 1	.50						10	.50
<b>TIGER.</b> (K). Deep smoky-blue flaked red. Very striking.								
Per							10	.60

## Our New Introduction for 1928

### MARTHA CHAPPELL.

Here is a very unusual glad. Nothing just like it that we know of. In color a deep violet. Phlox purple, according to Ridgway. A large creamy-white throat blotch. Five to seven large flowers open at one time; on a good strong spike. Very much admired in our gardens this year, and at the Michigan Gladiolus Society show at East Lansing in August. Large bulbs only this year. \$1.00 each. No small stock.

The following is our general list of ruffled and plain petaled varieties, except the Primulinus varieties which are listed separately and follow this list.

Size of Bulbs							Bulblets
1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
<b>ADELINE KENT.</b> (D). Light rose-pink, heavily ruffled. Very delicate and beautiful.							
Per 1	.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
<b>ALBANIA.</b> (Kemp). One of the best of the older whites. Pure white. Good placement.							
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	100 .15
Per 100	5.50	4.50	3.50	2.75	.....	.....	1000 1.00
<b>ALTON.</b> (K). Fine ruffled orange. Large flower, small throat blotch.							
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	100 .25
Per 100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1000 1.75
<b>AMERICAN BEAUTY.</b> (D). Deep rose. Beautiful color, but short spike.							
Per 10	.85	.75	.65	.....	.....	.....	100 .35
Per 100	7.00	6.00	5.25	.....	.....	.....	1000 2.00
<b>ANNA EBERIUS.</b> (D). Rich velvety-purple. The most popular of the older purples.							
Per 10	.55	.45	.35	.25	.20	.....	100 .10
Per 100	4.50	3.75	2.75	1.75	1.00	.....	1000 .75
<b>ANTONIA ANTONETTE.</b> (K). Salmon pink of fine form and growth. Very good.							
Per 1	1.50	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 1.00
<b>ARCADIA.</b> (K). Excellent medium-red, which blooms after everything else is gone.							
Per 10	.50	.40	.30	.20	.10	.....	100 .10
Per 100	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	.75	.....	1000 .75
<b>ATLANTA.</b> (Carpenter). Light geranium-pink. Light red feathering. Good cut flower.							
Per 1	.25	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	
<b>ATREUS.</b> (K). Clear rose-pink self. Very beautiful and much admired.							
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.....	.....	.....	100 .15
Per 100	6.50	5.50	4.50	.....	.....	.....	1000 1.00
<b>BEAUTY WAVE.</b> (K). Very fine new ruffled variety of canary yellow.							
Per 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 .25
<b>BETTY JOY.</b> (Bill). Creamy-white flushed pink on lower petals. I like it.							
Per 1	.85	.75	.65	.....	.....	.....	10 .85
<b>B. L. SMITH.</b> (K). A lavender although rather old will be grown for many years to come. Very beautiful.							
Per 10	.60	.50	.40	.30	.....	.....	100 .15
Per 100	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.25	.....	.....	1000 1.00
<b>BLUE ISLE.</b> (K). Medium blue, dark blotch. Good.							
Per 10	1.25	.90	.80	.....	.....	.....	100 .35



Size of Bulbs							Bulblets
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per
<b>BLUSHING BEAUTY.</b> (K). Bluish pink ruffled. Very dainty and pleasing.							
Per 10	1.35	1.25	1.15	1.10	.....	.....	100 .35
<b>BOBBY.</b> (K). Rose-pink ruffled, deeper throat. Well worth growing.							
Per 1	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 .50
<b>BUBBLES.</b> (D). Flesh-pink, mottled deeper. Plenty open. Very good.							
Per 10	1.25	1.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	100 .35
<b>CAPT. BOYNTON.</b> Light lavender, blotched deeper. In great demand.							
Per 1	.25	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 .20
Per 10	2.25	1.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	
<b>CARDINAL PRINCE.</b> (K). Bright red of pleasing form. Don't miss this one.							
Per 1	1.10	1.00	.90	.80	.....	.....	10 .75
Per 10	8.25	8.00	7.25	6.50	.....	.....	100 4.00
<b>CARMEN SYLVA.</b> (Dec.) The best of the commercial whites.							
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....	100 .15
<b>CATHERINE COLEMAN.</b> (C). Very fine large salmon. Dark lines in throat. Wonderful flower.							
Per 1	.50	.40	.30	.20	.....	.....	
<b>CHALICE FLOWER.</b> (K). Light cream ruffled variety. Very refined and beautiful.							
Per 1	1.10	1.00	.90	.....	.....	.....	
<b>CHATEAU THIERRY.</b> (Vos.) Bright red, creamy yellow throat. Large and very good cut flower.							
Per 10	.45	.35	.25	.15	.....	.....	100 .15
Per 100	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	.....	.....	1000 1.00
<b>CLEO.</b> (K). White flushed lavender. Deeper throat lines.							
Per 1	.65	.55	.50	.....	.....	.....	10 .25
<b>CRIMSON GLOW.</b> (Betscher). The best of the older reds. Very brilliant. Good cut flower.							
Per 10	.55	.45	.35	.....	.....	.....	100 .15
Per 100	4.75	3.75	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1000 .85
<b>DAINTY.</b> (K). New lacinated variety of light lemon yellow.							
Per 1	2.50	.....	1.75	.....	.....	.....	10 2.00
<b>DR. CRIST. MARTZ.</b> (K). Deep velvety-red. Very fine new ruffled variety.							
Per 1	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
<b>DR. F. E. BENNETT.</b> (D). Bright fiery-red. Very beautiful. One of the best reds.							
Per 10	3.25	2.75	2.25	2.00	.....	.....	100 1.25
<b>DR. NELSON SHOOK.</b> (K). A wonderful new deep rose pink. Large flower and heavily ruffled.							
Per 1	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
<b>DR. W. VAN FLEET.</b> (K). Dainty rose-pink with creamy yellow throat. Wide open flower, deeper at edges. Fine.							
Per 10	.45	.35	.25	.20	.15	10	100 .10
Per 100	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.00	.50	1000 .75
<b>DORRIT.</b> (K). Lavender-pink with throat of deeper lavender. Many open all showing color. Fine.							
Per 10	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100 .50
<b>ED. SPRINGER.</b> (K). Light lavender lower petals shading to rose-pink. Very refined flower.							
Per 1	.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
<b>E. G. HILL. (K).</b> Gorgeous light pink with cream throat. Large bloom and good cut flower.								
Per 10	1.10	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.35
<b>E. J. SHAYLOR. (K).</b> Good commercial of fine rose-pink.								
Per 10	.45	.35	.25	.15	.10	.....	100	.10
Per 100	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	.75	.50	1000	.75
<b>ELF. (D).</b> A good cut flower of creamy white. Good cut flower.								
Per 10	.50	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	100	.20
Per 100	4.25	3.25	2.25	.....	.....	.....	1000	.85
<b>ELIZ. GERBERDING. (D).</b> Shell-pink mottled with rose. Heavily ruffled. Not large but very pretty.								
Per 10	1.00	.90	.80	.....	.....	.....	100	.50
<b>EUGENE LEFEBRE. (Lemoine).</b> Light rose-pink. Large throat blotch of deeper shade. Very fine large flower.								
Per 10	2.25	2.15	2.00	.....	.....	.....		
<b>EVENING GLORY. (K).</b> Light rose-pink, deeper throat.								
Per 1	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.25
<b>E. W. ALLIS. (K).</b> Medium red, with dark blotch. Good.								
Per 1	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.50
<b>EXCELLENCE. (K).</b> Deep orange-red self. Somewhat lighter on lower petals. Fine red.								
Per 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	1.75
<b>FAIRIE. (K).</b> A wonderful soft pink blending to creamy-yellow on lower petals. A basket of it displayed at A. G. S. show 1925 attracted much attention. If you haven't this you have missed something.								
Per 10	1.50	1.40	1.30	.....	.....	.....		
<b>FULD'S FAVORITE. (K).</b> Large lavender-rose, with creamy-pink blotch. Fine flower.								
Per 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.50
<b>GARDEN BEAUTY. (K).</b> White, with large violet blotch. Odd and pretty.								
Per 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.85
<b>GEORGIA. (K).</b> Rich velvety purple. Very fine.								
Per 1	.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.75
<b>GENE S. PORTER. (K).</b> Very delicate soft pink. Good size.								
Per 10	3.00	2.50	2.00	.....	.....	.....	100	2.00
<b>GIANT NYMPH. (C).</b> Large, light rose-pink. One of Coleman's best. Very fine.								
Per 10	4.00	.....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	100	.80
<b>GLADIS PLATH. (D).</b> Mallow-purple, dark blotch, striped white. Good.								
Per 10	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>GOLD. (Dec.)</b> Pure, light yellow. A good one and very popular.								
Per 10	.70	.....	.50	.....	.....	.....	100	.15
Per 100	6.00	.....	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1000	1.00
<b>GOLD EAGLE. (Austin).</b> Very early, pure golden yellow. Very good. Great future.								
Per 1	3.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.40
<b>GOLDEN MEASURE. (Kelway).</b> Large, tall light yellow. Very good. Quite late.								
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.....	.....	.....	100	.30
Per 100	6.00	5.00	4.50	.....	.....	.....		
<b>HELGA. (K).</b> Fine light rose. White lines through center of petals. Very good.								
Per 10	1.85	1.75	1.65	.....	.....	.....	100	.25
<b>HENRY FORD. (D).</b> Very popular light-purple. Good except that the blooms face opposite at times.								
Per 10	1.10	1.00	.90	.80	.....	.....	100	.25

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
HESTIA. (K). Large creamy-yellow, lower petals suffused with pink. Very pleasing color.								
Per 1	.....	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.85
INDIAN. (K). Clear Indian-red. Very good.								
Per 10	1.40	1.30	1.20	.....	.....	.....		
INDIAN CHIEF. (K). New. Similar to above, but somewhat larger.							10	2.50
Per 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
J. A. CARBONE. (D). Large orange-red of good form, but has a short spike.								
Per 10	1.25	1.15	1.00	.95	.....	.....	100	.25
JAC. VAN BEYREN. (Hol.) Good light purple. Many open.								
Per 10	1.25	1.00	.75	.....	.....	.....	100	.25
JENNY LIND. (Dec.) The wonderful combination of pink and cream is not surpassed in any glad. Very fine.								
Per 10	1.25	1.15	1.00	.....	.....	.....	100	.60
JOHN T. McCUTCHEON. (K). A fine large red. Well worth growing.							10	.75
Per 1	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
IWA. (Betscher). Beautiful salmon, with large throat blotch of deeper shade. Very good.								
Per 1	.50	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	10	.20
JACK LONDON. (D). Salmon-pink of good size and form.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....	100	.15
Per 100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1000	.75
J. OGDEN ARMOUR. (K). A new variety, of a very beautiful salmon-pink, deeper throat.								
Per 1	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.15
JAP LADY. (Dec.) Very unusual variety of light purple with deeper blotch. Fine color but a slow propagator.								
Per 1	1.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
K's APPLE BLOSSOM. (K). Very pleasing color of apple blossom pink.								
Per 1	.20	.15	.10	.....	.....	.....	100	.50
K's WILD ROSE. (K). Light rose, tinted with lavender. Heavily ruffled and very beautiful.								
Per 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	1.00
K's YELLOW WONDER. (K). Light yellow. Some deeper in the throat. Very good.								
Per 1	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	1.25
LACINATUS. (K). Rose-pink lacinated variety introduced at \$1000 per bulb.								
Per 1	.50	.40	.30	.20	.10	.....	10	.25
Per 10	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50	.80	.70		
LONGFELLOW. (Dec.) Deep rose-pink. Large flowers perfectly placed. Surely very fine. About the best of its color.								
Per 1	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....		
LOS ANGELES. (H). Light pink, small feather in throat. Fine cut flower.								
Per 10	1.60	1.25	.90	.....	.....	.....	100	.50
LUCETTE. (Bill). Good cut flower white. Small blue lines on lower petals.								
Per 10	.35	.25	.15	.....	.....	.....	100	.15
Per 100	3.00	2.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	1000	.85
MARIE KUNDER. (K). Very beautiful early ruffled white.								
Per 10	.85	.75	.65	.....	.....	.....	100	.35
Per 100	7.50	6.50	5.50	.....	.....	.....		
MARIETTA. (M). Large salmon, with deep blotch. Extra fine.								
Per 10	1.40	1.25	1.10	1.00	.....	.....	100	.40
MARY PICKFORD. (K). Good creamy-white. Early.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.35	.25	.15	100	.15
Per 100	5.50	4.50	3.75	2.75	1.75	.85	1000	.85
MINUET. (C). The best lavender. Large wide open flower. A beauty.								
Per 1	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.35

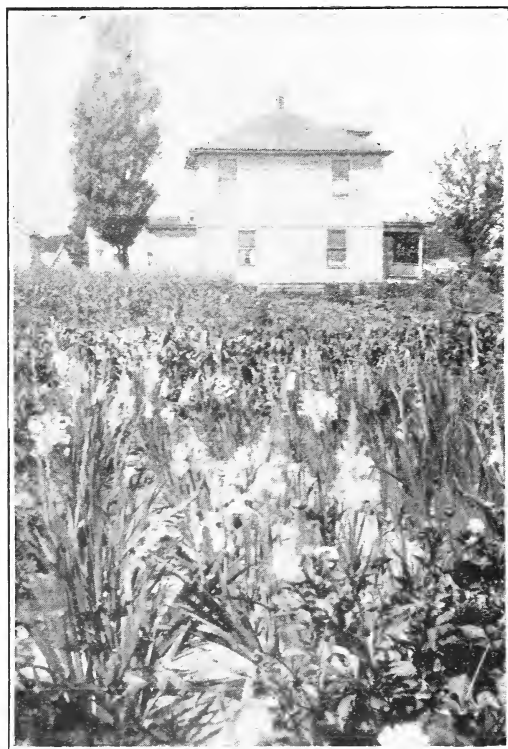
	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
MILLIONAIRE. (K). Fine dark red, spotted black. Creamy white throat. Much admired in our garden.								
Per 1	1.00	.90	.80	.70	.60	.....	10	1.00
Per 10	9.50	8.50	7.50	6.75	5.75	.....		
MONA LISA. (K). Light lavender-pink. Very delicate and pretty.								
Per 10	.45	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....	100	.15
Per 100	4.00	3.00	2.00	.....	.....	.....	1000	.75
MR. MARK. (Hol.) Good dark blue.								
Per 10	.45	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....	100	.20
MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER. Very fine pure white. One of the best. Good strong grower.								
Per 1	3.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	3.50
MRS. F. C. PETERS. (F). Rosy-lavender, with dark throat blotch. A very fine variety.								
Per 10	1.00	.90	.80	.70	.....	.....	100	.40
Per 100	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	.....	.....	1000	1.65
MRS. H. E. BOTHIN. (D). Light pink, with bright red throat. Very good.								
Per 10	.55	.45	.35	.25	.....	.....	100	.15
Per 100	4.25	3.25	2.50	1.75	.....	.....	1000	.85
MRS. J. C. BRUGGEN. (K). Light rose-pink, with clear white throat. Very beautiful.								
Per 1	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....	10	.65
MRS. LEON DOUGLAS. (D). Very large deep salmon-pink. Mottled deeper. Wonderful flower. One of Diener's best.								
Per 10	1.10	.95	.80	.65	.45	.30	100	.35
Per 100	8.25	6.75	5.50	4.50	.....	.....	1000	1.85
MRS. P. W. SISSON. (C). In our estimation this is the best pink ever introduced. Nothing to compare with it in this shade. A pure cameo pink.								
Per 1	3.50	3.00	2.75	.....	.....	.....	1	.35
MRS. TRUXTON BEALE. (D). Deep cream, striped with rose-pink. A beauty.								
Per 1	.25	.20	.15	.....	.....	.....		
MRS. W. RICHARDSON. (D). Fine medium red with deeper blotch. Good cut flower, red.								
Per 10	1.00	.75	.60	.....	.....	.....	100	.20
MRS. W. THURSTON GIBBS. (Gibbs). Light pink, blotched purple. Very pleasing new variety. Good cut flower.								
Per 1	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Per 10	4.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
NIMROD. (Aust.) Rich, deep crimson of fine form. Very fine dark variety.								
Per 1	1.25	1.15	1.00	.....	.....	.....		
NORWALK. (Bill). Clear red, with large light yellow blotch. Very attractive.								
Per 1	.25	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Per 10	2.00	1.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.50
OCTOBER. (K). Deep rosy-red, flaked deeper. Late.								
Per 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.50
OLIVE GOODRICH. (G). A very charming new variety. White, with a delicate pink edging around the entire flower. Surely very fine.								
Per 1	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
OPALESCEMENT. (Bill). Beautiful rose-lavender. Good cut flower. One of Bill's best.								
Per 10	1.85	1.75	1.65	.....	.....	.....	100	.75
PEACH ROSE. (K). Deep rose-pink, with deeper blotch. Very good.								
Per 10	1.00	.80	.60	.50	.....	.....	100	.25
Per 100	9.00	7.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	1000	2.00

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
<b>PERSIA.</b> Very dark red. The nearest to black of any. Attracts lots of attention.								
Per 1	.50							
<b>PICADILLY.</b> (Bill). Fine creamy-yellow. Tall strong spikes.								
Per 1	.25	.20						
Per 10	2.00	1.75					100	.65
<b>PHILATELIA.</b> (K). Deep tyrian rose, lighter throat. Very fine new variety.							1	1.00
Per 1								
<b>PINK WONDER.</b> (Kemp). An old favorite light pink.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.40	.30				
Per 100	5.25	4.25	3.50	2.50			100	.75
<b>PIPPIN.</b> (Bill). Very pleasing bright rose-pink. Small feather in throat. I like it.							100	.75
Per 10	1.75	1.55						
<b>POMPEIAN BEAUTY.</b> (K). Good rose-pink, deeper blotch. Ruffled and plenty open.							10	.50
Per 10								
<b>PRIDE OF WANAKAH.</b> (Chriswell). A deep rosy-lavender, with deeper blotch. Very fine. Don't miss this one.							10	.50
Per 1	.50	.40	.30					
<b>PRIORITY.</b> (Bill). Clear light pink. Large open flower. Very good.							100	1.60
Per 10	1.65	1.45	1.25					
<b>PURPLE GLORY.</b> (K). Very popular dark velvety red. Fine.							100	.40
Per 10	.95	.85	.75	.65				
<b>RED VELVET.</b> (K). The name describes it. I like it.							10	1.25
Per 10								
<b>REV. EWBANK.</b> (Hol.) A good light blue with small blotch.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.35	.25			
Per 100	5.50	4.50	4.00	3.25	2.00		100	.25
<b>RICHARD DIENER.</b> (D). One of the best light pinks. Small creamy yellow blotch. Very fine.							100	.50
Per 10	1.25	1.10	.95					
<b>RITA BECK.</b> (F). Very pleasing light pink. Small feather in throat. Beautiful flower.							10	3.50
Per 1	3.50							
<b>ROSE GLORY.</b> (K). Clear rose-pink, deeper blotch. Good cut flower.								
Per 10	.40	.30	.20	.10				
Per 100	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	1.00		1000	.75
<b>ROYAL PURPLE.</b> (K). New deep purple, overlaid red. Good.							10	1.25
Per 10								
<b>RUFFLED BEAUTY.</b> (K). Deep violet, heavily ruffled. Fine.							100	.75
Per 10	1.60	1.35	1.00					
<b>RUTH FIELD.</b> (K). Delicate lavender. Throat of creamy yellow. Very refined. New.							10	.65
Per 1	.80							
<b>SALADIN.</b> (G). A very fine new dark purple. Large and many open. One of the best purples.								
Per 1	.50							
<b>SAN FRANCISCO.</b> (K). Deep wine-red self. Throat penciled cream. Good.							10	1.00
Per 1	2.00	1.75	1.40					
<b>SCARLANO.</b> (K). Large bright red. Always admired.							100	.20
Per 10	.45	.40	.35					
Per 100	3.25	3.00	2.75	2.25			1000	1.00

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
SIDNEY PLUMMER. (S). Fine light yellow that is sure to become very popular. Large flower, many open.								
Per 10	1.00	.90	.80	.....	.....	.....	100	.25
SIR ROGER CASEMENT. (D). Dark velvety-red, heavily ruffled. A beauty.								
Per 1	.25	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....		
SNAPDRAGON. (K). A very interesting little flower of deep rose-pink, bright yellow throat. I like it.								
Per 1	.40	.35	.30	.....	.....	.....		
SPIRIT OF '76. (K). Bright orange-red. White lines through lower petals. Very good.								
Per 10	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.85
SWEET LAVENDER. (C). Good early lavender cut flower.								
Per 10	.50	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	100	.20
SWEET ROSE. (K). Very fine rose-pink, deeper blotch. Large flower. A wonder.								
Per 1	1.50	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....		
TARO. (K). A fine shade somewhat like Tyrian Beauty, but deeper. Very popular.								
Per 10	1.35	1.25	1.15	.....	.....	.....	100	.25
TWILIGHT. (K). Ruffled cream. Rose-pink throat. Very good.								
Per 10	.50	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	100	.25
TYRIAN BEAUTY. (K). American Beauty rose color. Fine variety. Good cut flower.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....		
SULPHUR FRILLS. (K). Light yellow ruffled. Small pink throat lines. Excellent.								
Per 10	1.85	1.75	1.65	.....	.....	.....	100	.75
VAUGHAN'S WHITE. One of the best whites. Large and strong. Many open.								
Per 1	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....		
VIOLET PRINCE. (K). A new deep violet. Fine flower.								
Per 1	....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.75
VIRGINIA HALE. (K). Soft rose-pink, deeper at edges. A wonderful "glad".								
Per 10	.90	.80	.70	.....	.....	.....	100	.75
WM. G. BADGER. (M). Light pink, cream blotch. Some deeper than Richard Diener. Very good.								
Per 10	1.85	1.65	1.45	.....	.....	.....	100	.60
W. H. PHIPPS. (D). A glorious flower of soft light pink. 10 to 12 open and all buds showing color.								
Per 1	.50	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	100	.85
Per 10	4.50	3.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....		
WHITE WONDER. (Kemp). A good white, although some times streaked with blue.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.35	.....	.....	100	.15
Per 100	5.25	4.25	3.25	.....	.....	.....	1000	.85
YOUELL'S FAVORITE. (K). Very pretty rose-lavender, deeper blotch. Good late flower.								
Per 10	.55	.45	.35	.25	.....	.....	100	.20
Per 100	4.50	3.50	3.00	.....	.....	.....		

## Primulinus Varieties

There are two classes of the above. One the Primulinus Hybrids which are usually smaller and slender, and are very well adapted for house decoration. The other the Primulinus Grandiflora which are wide open flowers, larger and not hooded usually as the Hybrids. These types are becoming more and more popular each year.



A part of our 1927 Garden

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
ALICE TIPLADY. (K). A beautiful burnt orange.								
Per 10	.40	.30	.20	.....	.....	.....		
Per 100	2.75	2.50	1.80	.....	.....	.....	1000	1.00
ARDEN. (K). Clear deep rose-pink, slightly hooded. A very good prim.								
Per 10	.50	.40	.30	.20	.....	.....	1000	1.25
CAMEO. (Bill). A very fine prim of delicate cameo pink. Slightly hooded and ruffled. I like it.								
Per 10	.85	.75	.65	.....	.....	.....	100	.35
DANTE. (Bill). A very unusual prim of light purple finely striped with cream. Very refined and beautiful flower.								
Per 1	.15	10	.....	.....	.....	.....		
DARWIN. (Bill). Another purple, with cream throat. Very delicate and pretty.								
Per 1	.15	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.10

	Size of Bulbs						Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per	
<b>CHICKADEE.</b> (Bill). Light rose pink, yellow blotch. A basket of it combined with Souvenir is very beautiful.								
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	100	.25
<b>COPPER BRONZE.</b> (K). The name describes it. Very striking and distinct.								
Per 1	.95	.85	.75	.....	.....	.....	10	.85
<b>E. B. WILLIAMSON.</b> (K). Somewhat like Darwin, but darker purple. Very popular.								
Per 10	1.50	1.00	.75	.50	.....	.....	100	2.00
<b>ELFIN.</b> (Bill). Fine pink. Light yellow throat with delicate feather of deeper pink. Very dainty.								
Per 10	.65	.55	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>ENCHANTRESS.</b> (K). Delicate shell pink, creamy white throat; penciled pink.								
Per 1	.75	.65	.55	.....	.....	.....	10	.70
<b>EVENING.</b> (K). Very light shell pink. Very good.								
Per 1	.85	.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.85
<b>FLORAL TRIBUTE.</b> (Bill). Large light yellow, pink feather in the throat.								
Per 10	.90	.80	.70	.....	.....	.....	100	.35
<b>FRECKLES.</b> (Bill). Well named orange-red ground color, striped with deeper red. An odd one.								
Per 10	.40	.30	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>GLADDIE BOY.</b> (Bill). An extra ordinary fine prim. Soft pink with deep yellow throat. The best of the new primis.								
Per 1	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>GLADSOME.</b> (Thacker). Clear lemon-yellow. Two lower petals deeper. Very fine new primulinus Grandiflora type.								
Per 1	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Per 10	4.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
<b>GOLDEN GLEAM.</b> (K). Clear light orange. Very fine. Good cut flower.								
Per 10	.85	.70	.60	.50	.....	.....	100	.40
<b>GOLDEN TINGE.</b> (K). Lighter than Golden Gleam. Not quite as large. Excellent cut flower.								
Per 10	.75	.60	.55	.....	.....	.....	100	.35
<b>GOLDEN ORANGE.</b> (K). Rightly named. Wonderful color.								
Per 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.85
<b>JAP.</b> (K). The best new yellow prim introduced last year. Self color. Many open. Fine.								
Per 1	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.20
<b>KING OF ORANGES.</b> (K). Orange-saffron. Deeper than any of this color, and better.								
Per 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.40
<b>LEEN WONE.</b> (K). Lighter than the above and smaller. Good.								
Per 1	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	1	.25
<b>LILAC OLD ROSE.</b> (K). Name describes it. Very beautiful color. Large flower, several open.								
Per 10	1.75	1.25	1.00	.....	.....	.....	100	.50
<b>MARIGOLD.</b> (K). Light lemon yellow self. Good sized flower.								
Per 1	.75	.....	.50	.40	.....	.....	10.	.65



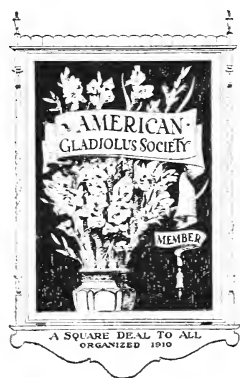
	Size of Bulbs							Bulblets	
	1½" up	1¼"-1½"	1"-1¼"	¾"-1"	½"-¾"	¼"-½"	Per		
MING TOY. (K). Another fine one of orange-buff. Tall grower. One of the best.									
Per 10	.85	.70	.55	.....	.....	.....		100	.20
ROSEMARY. (Bales). A very dainty and refined novelty. White, finely veined rose-lavender. I like it.									
Per 1	.75	.65	.55	.....	.....	.....		10	.75
ROSE MIST. (F). A very unusual prim. Deep rose self with a buff edging. Stock scarce.									
Per 1	.85	.75	.65	.....	.....	.....		10	.85
SALMON BEAUTY. (K). An old favorite. Still very good.									
Per 10	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....		100	.20
SOUVENIR. (Hol.) A golden yellow that is hard to beat. Small but very beautiful.									
Per 10	.75	.65	.55	.45	.....	.....		100	.20
Per 100	6.50	5.50	4.50	.....	.....	.....		1000	1.10
SUNSET GLOW. (Gibbs). Bright crimson, golden yellow throat. Fine cut flower. Very pretty.									
Per 10	1.15	1.00	.85	.....	.....	.....		100	.30
SWEETER SEVENTEEN. (K). Dainty salmon-pink, yellow throat. A good one.									
Per 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		1	.40
TEMBLOR. (K). Large salmon-red. Tall spike, 4 to 6 open.									
Per 1	1.00	.75	.50	.25	.....	.....		10	.40
Per 10	8.75	6.75	4.25	2.00	.....	.....		100	3.50
THE PELICAN. (Bill). The most unusual form of any prim. The large hood nearly hides the throat. Light pink, lower petals yellow.									
Per 1	.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
TO-DAY. (K). Bright orange, soft yellow throat. Good sized flower.									
Per 1	.75	.....	.55	.....	.....	.....			
VAN WERT. (K). A pleasing color of orange-red. Very good.									
Per 1	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		10	.35
VIRGINIA LOU. (K). Large flower of old rose, cream throat. One of Kunderd's best new primis. Very fine.									
Per 1	1.25	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....			
WHITE STAR. (K). Very good white similar to White Butterfly.									
Per 1	.35	.25	.....	.....	.....	.....			

## Abbreviations of Originators

(D) Diener; (K) Kunderd; (M) Metzner; (Bill) Gladiolus Bill; (C) Coleman; (Vil.) Vilmorin; (G) Goodrich; (S) Salbach; (Dec.) Decorah; (Hol.) Holland; (F) Fischer).

Flowers are the sweetest things that God  
ever made and forgot to put a soul into.

H. W. Beecher



Health and happiness can be found only  
out of doors.

Hubbard